Assisted Housing Needs

This section pertains to the portion of Vance County's population which requires assistance from either the public or private sector in order to obtain adequate housing. The following definitions were used in estimating the housing assistance needs for particular segments of Vance County's population:

<u>Low-income households</u> - are families who reside in inadequate housing and whose adjusted income does not exceed 80 percent of the median income for their resident county.

Edlerly households - are one or two person households headed by a person over 62 years of age.

<u>Family households</u> - are households including four or fewer persons, excluding elderly and handicapped households composed of one or two persons.

<u>Large Family households</u> - are households having five or more persons.

 $\underline{\text{Minority households}}$ - are households whose occupants are members of a minority group.

Families "expected to reside" - include lower-income families expected to reside in the county as a result of commercial, industrial, governmental, or service employment generated by new or expanded development; and, lower-income families with workers currently employed in the county, but not living there.

Employing the above definitions, 1970 statistical census tabu-